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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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**APPLICATION No.: 09/498,704** 

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## Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Application under 37 CFR §1.137(b)

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Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

- 1. The applicant hereby petitions for revival of the above-identified application, which apparently became abandoned on July 1, 2002 for failure to file a response to the Office Action mailed April 1, 2002.
- 2. Reply Under 37 CFR §1.137(b)(1)

Enclosed herewith is a reply to the Office Action.

3. Fee Under 37 CFR §1.137(b)(2)

> Please charge the fee of \$1300.00 under 37 CFR 1.17(m) to Deposit Account No. 01-1173.

4. Statement Under 37 CFR §1.137(b)(3)

> The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR §1.137(b) was unintentional.

- 5. Duration of Abandonment (1203 OG 86-87, Oct. 21, 1997)
  - This petition is being filed within 3 months of the date on which the  $\boxtimes$ applicant was first notified of the abandonment by a Notice of Abandonment mailed May 19, 2003. Under current USPTO practice, further information regarding the abandonment is not required.

- 6. Terminal Disclaimer under 37 CFR §1.137(b)(4) and (c)
  - Since this application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
  - Since this application was filed before June 8, 1995, a terminal disclaimer is enclosed dedicating to the public a terminal part of the term of any patent granted hereon, and of any patent granted on a continuing application hereof, equivalent to the period of abandonment of this application.

## 7. Additional Fees

Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely consideration of this Petition to Deposit Account No. 01-1173.

Respectfully submitted,

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